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Who: Department of Juvenile Services (DJS)

What: DJS is hosting the Annual State CIO Meeting at the Cheltenham Youth Facility

When: Monday, July 23, 2007 from 12:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Where: Cheltenham Youth Facility, 11001 Frank Tippett Road, Cheltenham, MD 20623

Message: The State CIO Annual Meeting will be held at the Cheltenham Youth Facility based on

the successful implementation of a Statewide IT Education Project.

DJS schools now have state-of-the-art educational software and computer hardware. As a result of this project students can prepare for the GED, are automatically enrolled in college classes through distance learning upon the completion of high school and can receive employment training in high-growth careers such as desktop publishing, computer maintenance and repair, digital photography, and landscape architecture.

This project has enhanced DJS education programs statewide and will have a tremendous impact on the future of these children.

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